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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For: TECHNIQUE FOR FORMING
SHALLOW TRENCH ISOLATION
STRUCTURE WITHOUT CORNER
EXPOSURE (as amended)

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Final Office Action of July 2, 2010, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expires on October 2, 2010. This response is submitted on or before two months from the date of the Final Office Action.

Amendments to the Title appear on page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

IN THE TITLE:

The title has been amended herein. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.121 and 1.125 (as amended to date), please enter the title as amended.

**TECHNIQUE FOR FORMING SHALLOW TRENCH ISOLATION STRUCTURE
WITHOUT CORNER EXPOSURE AND RESULTING STRUCTURE**